

House Resolution No. 4312

Whereas, Michael J. Acton, of St. Louis, Missouri, the son of John and Mary Acton, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on November 17, 2007, at Queen of All Saints, in St. Louis; and

Whereas, Michael J. Acton, a member of Boy Scout Troop 662, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project and meeting all other criteria; and

Whereas, Michael J. Acton's Eagle project consisted of planning and creating a portion of an equestrian/pedestrian trail in Cliff Cave County Park; and

Whereas, in his four years of scouting, Michael J. Acton has twenty-five merit badges to his credit, and he has demonstrated all the skills and leadership abilities needed to hold the offices of Patrol Leader, Troop Guide, and Quartermaster; and

Whereas, Michael J. Acton is a Brotherhood member in the Order of the Arrow, three-time winner of the Mile Swim, holder of Ad Altare Dei, and a winner of the World Conservation Award; and

Whereas, Michael J. Acton attended summer camp every year between 2003 and 2007 and attended National Youth Leader Training in 2005; and

Whereas, being an Eagle Scout has always carried with it a special significance, not only in Scouting but also as he enters higher education, business or industry, and community service, and the award is a performance-based achievement whose standards have been well-maintained over the years; and

Whereas, Michael J. Acton realizes that the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that requires considerable dedication and effort:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, extend our congratulations to Michael J. Acton and wish him every success in all his future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Eagle Scout Michael J. Acton.

Offered by _____
Representative Sue Schoemehl
District No. 100

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 4312, adopted July 24, 2007.

Rod Jetton, Speaker